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# MARK HANNA SAYS PRESIDENT M'KINLEY WILL DIE!

(By Associated Press.)

CLEVELAND, 4.30.—The Plaindealer says: Dan R. Hanna, son of Senator Mark A. Hanna, has just received a telegram from his father, at Buffalo, stating that President McKinley is worse and cannot live.

## VICE-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT NOW IS ACTING PRESIDENT

BUFFALO, Sept. 7.—Vice-President Roosevelt arrived here at 12.40 o'clock this afternoon, and after stopping at his hotel went at once to the Milburn mansion. He is now the acting President of the United States, for Mr. McKinley is unable to transact any state business and will be unable to preside at the meeting of the Cabinet here. The honorable secretaries have not been allowed to enter the sick room.

Upon Vice-President Roosevelt's arrival at the station he said to a reporter that the more he thought of this affair the more dastardly the crime becomes. He was driven rapidly to the Hotel Iroquois accompanied by an escort of mounted police. "I am heartbroken," said he, turning to Mr. Ansley Wilcox, who had accompanied him from the station. The Vice-President remained in the residence scarcely half an hour. He left with Secretary Root and walked around the corner to Mr. Wilcox's residence, where he will stop. He declined absolutely to say a word.

All the members of the Cabinet are either here or on their way hither. Secretary Gage, who received the news yesterday while en route to Colorado, arrived this morning. Senator Hitchcock, who was at Keene, N. H., hired a special train, which took him to Albany. There he caught the limited over the New York Central.

## DEVOTED INVALID WIFE REPORTED TO HAVE AT LAST COLLAPSED UNDER THE GREAT SHOCK.

### REGRETS THAT HE DID NOT SHOOT M'KINLEY DEAD.

(Special to The Evening World.)

BUFFALO, Sept. 7.—An Evening World reporter had an interview with Czolgosz this afternoon, during which the assassin said:

"The only regret I have is that I did not kill him dead in his tracks. I don't believe in kings, queens or presidents. I tell you now that I hope McKinley dies before to-morrow's sun shines."

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 7.—It is reported late this afternoon that Mrs. McKinley's condition has become alarming, and that fears are entertained that she may collapse under the terrible strain of the last twenty-four hours.

Her health, never good, has been subject to a test that many a sturdy wife could not endure. Her display of fortitude when she heard the news of the attempt on her husband's life will become historic, but the shock was evidently too great for her gentle nature, and to-day she is a very ill woman.

While the President is resting easily, the only point—outside of the possibility of blood poisoning—which gives the physicians concern, is his steadily rising temperature.

At 3.35 P. M. the most hopeful word yet was despatched by Secretary Cortelyou in a message to Secretary Long. Dr. Rixey authorized Mr. Cortelyou to offer much encouragement.

One of the physicians says the result of the President's wound will be known in twenty-four hours. Within that period indications of blood poisoning or peritonitis, which is most feared, might appear. If not, the President's chances of recovery will be excellent. The rise in his pulse is due more to the medicine administered than to the wound.

(For further details of the attempted assassination and Anarchist plot see inside pages.)

## VENEZUELAN FLEET NOW IN ACTION.

First Gun Fired in Threatened Isthmian War  
Long Pending—American Warships There.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The Colombian Legation has just received the following cablegram: "WILLENSTAD, Curacao, Sept. 7.—Venezuelan fleet is bombarding Rio Macha. (Signed) 'BECERRA.'"

Dr. Becerra formerly was Colombian Minister in Washington. This is the inauguration of active hostilities in South America, where conditions have been threatening for months. The United States has war vessels on both sides the Isthmus, and they will see that treaty rights are respected. Rio Macha is an important town on the north coast of Colombia. This bombardment appears to be the first open act of war on the Isthmus. The Colombian Legation is in receipt of a despatch from the Minister of Foreign Affairs at Bogota, which says that new invasions from Venezuela, Ecuador and Nicaragua are announced.

The Minister declares that Colombia continues to be pacific and strictly neutral and that Colombia condemns the rebel invasion of Garbarino into Venezuela.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The Navy Department has ordered the gunboat Machias, now at Colon, to focus del Toro, to look after American interests in that quarter. The battleship Iowa has arrived at Panama. The gunboat Ranger, now at that place, has been ordered back to San Francisco.

FELL INTO RIVER AT PLAY. Ten-year-old John Flegak, of No. 331 East Eighty-second street, while playing "tag" with several other boys, ran on the pier at Eighty-sixth street and the East River to-day. He was fished out by James Ryan, of No. 334 East Eighty-seventh street.

## N. Y. MERCHANT DIES IN SURF.

HE IS JAMES F. BROWN, A  
DRY-GOODS DEALER.

While Bathing at Monmouth Beach, N. J., He Was Stricken with Heart Failure.

James F. Brown, a dealer in dry goods in this city, was taken from the surf at Monmouth Beach, N. J., this afternoon in a dying condition.

He suffered an attack of heart failure, and although a physician was on hand, all efforts to resuscitate him were in vain and he died.

The only James F. Brown in the directory is President of the James Freeman Brown Company, of No. 73 Franklin street. No response could be obtained to a telephone call sent to that address.

## NEW YORK VS. ST. LOUIS

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ST. LOUIS ..... 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-2

CHICAGO AT BROOKLYN—SECOND GAME.

CHICAGO ..... 0 0 0 2 0 0 0  
BROOKLYN ..... 0 0 1 0 0 1

LATE RESULTS AT SHEEPSHEAD.

Fourth Race—Watercolor 1, Rockton 2, Terminus 3.  
Fifth Race—Bullington 1, Zanzibar 2, Sir Hubert 3.

AT HARLEM.

Third Race—Syria 1, Estimago 2, Laureate 3.

AT DELMAR.

Second Race—Meadow 1, South Breeze 2, Winepress 3.  
Third Race—Dean Swift 1, Bull Rowe 2, Leviathan 3.